Docket No. AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER 04970/0200827-US0 Application No. Filing Date Examiner Art Unit 3679 10/765,594 January 26, 2004 E. Garcia Applicant(s): Kenichi Aota et al. Invention: COUPLING STRUCTURE OF SHAFT BODY AND SHAFT JOINT TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Highest Claims Remaining Number Number After **Previously** Extra Claims Amendment Present Rate Paid **Total Claims** 9 20 X Independent 3 Claims Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: 0.00 x Large Entity Small Entity x No additional fee is required for this amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. | X | The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. x Credit any overpayment. Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. Dated: July 6, 2005 Louis J. De Juidice Attorney Reg. No.: 47,522 DARBY & DARBY P.C. P.O. Box 5257 New York, New York 10150-5257 (212) 527-7723